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EVERYTHING FOR THE Christmas Cake

SUCH AS

New Currants, Peels, Raisins, Almond
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Swans' Down Cake Flour, per pkg. 50c.

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"THE VULCAN DRUG STORE"

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It is Not Too Early to Think About Christmas

Our Christmas stocks are arriving all the time and
are practically complete. We have the finest selec-
tion of jewellery and allied lines ever shown in
Vulcan; and at the new replacement prices.
A small deposit now will keep your purchase until
Christmas.

Percy Discher, Jeweller.

Shimp & Rebbe Sale Calendar

Tuesday, November 21st, W. J. and Francis Laughren

Saturday, November 23rd, Earl Grice

Saturday, November 25th, Town Sale

Monday, November 27th, Ole Jacobson, Estate

CLUB CAFE

New Owners—Everything New

Wong Bros. have taken over the business known as the
Royal Cafe. The new owners will have a new policy,
and the cleaning and renovating of the kitchen and
dining room, and the improvement of the service, and
a new name, makes everything new. The menus of
fine pastries, juicy meats and tender fowl, and appetiz-
ing vegetables and fruits, are prepared to bring patrons
here with a keen anticipation of enjoyment.

**How about a Dinner here some day?—just to
try us out.**

PHILIP SORSKY Registered Optometrist

613 Leeson & Lineham Block, Calgary

Will be at

Imperial Hotel, Vulcan

Thursday, November 23

**For the Examination of Eyes and Fitting of
Glasses.**

U. F. A. MEETING

There will be a general meet-
ing of Vulcan Local, U. F. A.,
in Vulcan, on Saturday, Nov-
ember 18, commencing at 2
o'clock. Business of interest
and importance will be pre-
sented for consideration. All
members are requested to be
in attendance.

NOTICE

Wong Bros. have taken over the res-
taurant business of Chu Bros. at Vul-
can, known as the Royal Cafe. All ac-
counts owing by Chu Bros. must be
submitted to Wong Bros. before 1st of
December, 1922, for payment.

WONG BROS.,
Vulcan.

TENDERS

Tenders invited for the position of ice
man for the Vulcan Curling Club for the
coming season. Apply
F. GALLIKER, Sec.-Treas.,
Vulcan.



Dollar Dance

I. O. O. F. HALL, VULCAN

Friday, November 24th

SHIPPING BY POST

A rumor is current that the greater
portion of the weight of a carload of
fence posts nowadays is composed of
alcohol in the shape of whiskey and
that shipments of this character have
been unloaded between Crows' Nest
and Lethbridge since the Barrier was
erected near Coleman. Oh, yes, the
rum-running has been completely
stopped (?)—Blairmore Enterprise.

A REMINDER

Little Miss Muffet sat on a tuffet,
Reading her Advocate through,
Along came a spider and sat down
beside her
And said, 'Your subscription is due.'

GENERAL NEWS

Returns have been made by 3,600
threshers in the province.

The provincial seed fair will be held
at Edmonton on January 16 to 20.

The government will issue no more
licenses to liquor exporting houses in
this province, Hon. A. M. Manson said.
At present there are about 23 licensed
exporting houses in British Columbia.

A New York resident while over in
Germany purchased a large brick
house, that will accommodate nine
families for the sum of \$99 or 162,000
marks. The residence is near the city
of Berlin.

Records of the city of Vancouver's
license department indicate that 1,658
Chinese and Japanese are licensed
tradesmen within the city limits. This
does not include Orientals working for
a salary.

Newspaper has gone up \$10 per ton
and the postage rate is six times
higher than it was before the war
with the talk of a further advance.
This paper will remain at only \$2 per
year strictly in advance.

There is little demand for hay these
days. At Calgary upland hay is sell-
ing at \$21 to \$22; greenfeed at \$16 to
\$18; at country points the price is
much lower at \$10.50 to \$17 for upland
hay and \$10 to \$11 for green feed.

Sir Montague Allan, president of
the defunct Merchant's Bank, who was
charged in the court of special ses-
sions with negligently signing a false
statement in a return on the bank's
condition to the treasury department at
Ottawa was pronounced not guilty.

That the present tendency this year,
in many parts of the province, to cut
down on the amount of livestock car-
ried through the winter, will eventually
result in a decided improvement in
the quality of Alberta cattle, is the
opinion of Hon. George Hoadley, min-
ister of agriculture.

The U. F. A. Political Association
for the Macleod Federal Riding had a
meeting at Macleod last week. Vice-
president Simpson and secretary W.
R. Barker were present. Geo. S. Fer-
ris resigned as President and H. S.
Simpson was elected in his stead. The
Convention will be held at Macleod on
November 30.

One reason given for the advance of
bond paper is that the Jews have quit
gathering rags. They find more profit
in bootlegging. Is it not time the
government had all the profit and
business in the booze business. It
would help in lowering taxes.—
Gleichen Call.

Robert Forke of Manitoba will no
doubt be the next leader of the Pro-
gressive party for the Dominion in
succession to Mr. Crerar who has re-
tired. He is a man of sound common
sense and was mentioned for the position
of Premier of Manitoba before
Bracken was chosen.

If the headquarters of the Canadian
National Railways is moved from
Toronto it will be because of politics.
With another change of government
there will be an instant demand to
move it back. It is folly to say politics
is being kept out of the manage-
ment when directors and headquarters
are changed with every change of
government.

Albertan: Mr. Crerar, in one of the
clearest statements he ever made,
very plainly places the issue before
the members of parliament. Is it to
be a Progressive party or the group
idea of H. W. Wood. If certain mem-
bers insist on the group idea, eventu-
ally it will mean a definite split in the
party, which would be unfortunate at
this time.

NOTICE

Taxes of the Town of Vulcan are now due. Caveats
have been filed under the Tax Recovery Act
against all property in arrears, and title will
revert to the Town, unless arrears are sooner
paid.

TOWN OF VULCAN

A. J. Flood,
Secretary-Treasurer.

PRIZE ESSAYS

Winners in The Vulcan School Com-
petition

Winners have been declared in the
Fire Prevention essay competition in
connection with the Vulcan High and
Public schools. Beulah Hampton is
first in the High School class, winning
\$5.00, by Town of Vulcan, and Hazel
Layman, second, \$2.50 by W. E. But-
chart. In the Public School class Ena
Watt is first, winning \$5.00, by
School Board, and Maude Shaw second,
\$2.50 by Harry Nelson. The winners
are to be congratulated, as are also
all the competitors for the splendid
essays they have presented on a most
important subject. The essays of the
four winners will be published in The
Advocate, and it is hoped that the
perusal of the same will result in
attaining the object desired—the pre-
vention of fire and consequent loss of
life and property. Some of these ap-
pear on another page is this issue.

POPPY DAY

Armistice Day Properly Observed in
Vulcan

Almost everybody in Vulcan wore a
poppy on Armistice Day, and there
were numerous flags flying. The
wearing of a poppy is a pretty prac-
tice, and it is a fine tribute to those
who fought for us in Flanders. We
should and we do reverence their mem-
ory. The poppy idea is one of the
best that has been devised in this
period of humanity. The flowers are
made by the veterans who cannot
labor at much else, and they are dis-
tributed by the G. W. V. A. They are
sold by those organizations who ap-
preciate the opportunity to help, and
the proceeds are devoted to the re-
quirements of the disabled soldiers
and the dependents of soldiers. The
buying and wearing of a poppy may
appear a small thing, but in the ag-
gregate it is great. Vulcan always
does its bit, and the allotment of five
hundred poppies was readily purchas-
ed from the committee of the Women's
Institute, who handled the sales, and
the supply was not equal to the de-
mand. The amount realized was
\$69.00.

LOCAL ITEMS

Mrs. P. Terry and daughter, Irene,
were visitors to Okotoks this week.

Gus Spathe has moved in from the
Reid Hill district and is now resident
on the Jamieson place west of town.

Lethbridge will not be satisfied with
a \$15,000 arena and the rink commit-
tee have decided to get after an addi-
tional five thousand.

The first outlay will be the sum of
\$1,000,000, B. C. has the money and
can go ahead with much needed im-
provements which is more than can
be said of other western provinces.

The one grand thing about paying
taxes, sagely remarks an exchange, is
that it reminds us that there is such
a thing as government and we are liv-
ing under it, so to speak.

The community idea is contagious,
and perhaps we will be pardoned if
we claim that the infection comes
from Vulcan. However, where the
community spirit exists there will be
pleasure in the announcement of the
enterprise undertaken in the Alston
district, where the U. F. A. and the
Women's Institute have joined forces
in the effort to build a community
hall, and the success already is such
that the hall is assured. Ensign is
also engaged in a similar enterprise,
and Vulcan wishes them both success.

Several of the members of the
government, accompanied by officials
of the railway department and others
made an inspection trip over the new
extension of the Lacombe and Blind-
man Valley Railway west of Lacombe
the past week. Service over the new
extension, which runs to the terminus
of Hoadley, 12 miles beyond the
former terminus, will be inaugurated
November 13.

British Columbia municipalities will
profit to the extent of \$1,300,000, as
their share of profits derived from
government sale of liquor in the prov-
ince during the last fiscal year. An
announcement was made in the legis-
lature last week by the attorney-gen-
eral that a final audit showed that
\$500,000 was still coming to the
municipalities in addition to the pre-
liminary \$800,000 distributed two
months ago.

Mr. I. E. Stinson and Stanley Lyons
are the inventors of a sanitary sugar
dispenser and have patented it in Can-
ada and the U. S. This device looks
to be an excellent one. It is closed
with a small spout like a tea pot. By
the simple movement of tipping exact-
ly a spoonful of sugar comes out. The
sanitary advantage will at once be
seen and also saving of wastage which
occurs in restaurants where careless
customers will use a wet spoon caus-
ing a waste of the sugar which is
made wet. The inventors have al-
ready secured offers for an interest in
the invention.—Strathmore Standard.

LOCAL ITEMS

Dr. D. R. Wark was a business
visitor to Calgary on Monday.

Mr. Shofner, of Reid Hill, left last
week to spend the winter in Washing-
ton.

Miss E. McArthur left Monday
evening for Vancouver where she will
reside with her sister.

Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Spooner and
son, were Calgary visitors for a couple
of days last week.

Mr. W. Scott and family have
moved into the house recently vacated
by Mr. Finn who left for Vancouver.

Constable Moriarty who was sta-
tioned at Vulcan for a time as pro-
vincial policeman, but has been of late
up in the Pass country, has been
transferred to Coalspur.

How would you like to have a high
class musical concert? The Advocate
has a communication from artists who
desire to visit Vulcan. Perhaps some
society or organization might become
interested.

Members of the Cadet Corps have
been about with their cards, seeking
contributions to aid in the purchase
of uniforms, and they have splendid
success, but the opportunity is not
gone for any who yet might be dis-
posed to chip in. Our boys in uniform
would make a fine looking squad, and
mind you, they are fast getting there
on the drill.

The bazaar on Saturday, under the
auspices of the Ladies' Aid of the
Union church, was a real success.
There was almost everything to wear
and to eat and other things, and
everything was sold out. The ladies
made some money, and money is well
spent in support of the church. The
buyers got good value for their money,
and everybody is satisfied.

One success after another have been
the events held under the auspices of
the Rebekahs, and the Armistice dance
on Friday night was one of these.
There was a big crowd, fine music and
great eats, the three essentials to a
great time, and they all had it. The
Rebekahs are a sure bet every time,
and they merit the success they have
by the real attention they give to the
pleasure of their patrons.

Vulcan School Board recently heard
a delegation representing ratepayers
interested in the formation of a new
school district at Kirkcaldy. They de-
sired to secure a portion of the land
now in the Vulcan area for the new
district. This was agreeable to the
board if a like area could be secured
for the Vulcan district from the lands
to the east of the district. It would
seem that the changes are generally
acceptable and that the matter is one
of easy arrangement.

Messrs. Buck & Howson had a very
attractive Armistice Day window at
their place of business. The display
was arranged by Mr. Drummond, who
was with the boys over there on that
great day, and the display of battle
implements and war trophies and me-
dals were the possessions of the sev-
eral Vulcan boys who had their part
in the great conflict. Mr. Discher,
who was in the army then, also had
a window display, much smaller and
modest, but pretty and appropriate.

This was no convention, but just
an incident. One day last week there
were no less than twelve represen-
tatives of several life insurance com-
panies registered at the Imperial
Hotel in Vulcan. And all of them
claimed to have picked up some busi-
ness in the district. This is quite a
remarkable incident—that twelve of
them should be here at the one time,
and that they all got business is quite
an indication of the excellent condi-
tions of Vulcan and vicinity.

We are always ready to say some-
thing about the Citizens Band, but re-
gret this time to report the recent
loss of a couple of players, which has
set them back a bit. New men have
been added and the band will come
back quick. In this connection let us
mention the purchase of a new trom-
bone by Johnny Dorch. It is a peach
of a horn and Johnny will now be bet-
ter able than ever to slip us the real
stuff. It will soon be time for the
Sunday night concerts.

Rev. Mr. McNabb occupied the pul-
pit in the Union church on Sunday
night, and his theme was the support
of the Bible Society, and when he
came around the next day for a dona-
tion The Advocate man discovered
him to be an old friend and acquaint-
ance in old Ontario. We came across
with our mite, and after a talk over
old times, he went his way on the
canvass for subscriptions, and the
Bible Society, like all good things,
got support from Vulcan.

The chief business of a session of
the council this week was the con-
sideration of the purchase of an auto
fire truck, a subject which has been
much discussed many times. It was
finally decided to purchase such a
truck, which will be equipped with the
fire fighting apparatus which the town
now possesses, and when all is fitted
and finished there will be a vast im-
provement in the appliances. Vulcan
has been fortunate as to fires, and pre-
vention and preparation is a fine
policy.

LOCAL ITEMS

We are sorry to report the serious
illness of Mrs. Lars. Hanson at her
home.

Miss Bernice Porter, of the local
telephone staff, was a visitor to Cal-
gary for the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Whicher, were
visitors to Calgary for a couple of
days this week.

The Hearnleigh Post Office, which
has been open for the past fifteen
years closed last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy McMullen, left
this week for Portland, where they
will reside for the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Adam, left re-
cently for California, where they will
spend the winter months.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Rolston and
family have moved to Calgary where
they will reside in future.

Nomination day for mayor, council
and school board will soon be here.
Time to look into the matter and make
selection of best material.

Mr. C. Kettleston's father, Mr. H.
Kettleston, who is moving from Drum-
heller to Pentiction, spent the week-
end in town.

Mr. Joe Stobb, has sold his farm
equipment and left on Wednesday
evening for Salvador, Sask., where he
will open a harness shop.

Mr. Bob Robble has been appointed
manager of the local skating rink for
the coming season. There were seven
applicants for this position.

Mr. Noble of High River has accept-
ed the position of junior on the Bank
of Hamilton staff here, and commenc-
ed his duties on Wednesday.

Little Miss Betty Boyd, daughter of
Mrs. G. W. Boyd of Calgary, is at
present visiting here with her uncle
and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Nelson.

Mrs. Blair, who has been postmis-
tress at the Hearnleigh Post Office,
has sold her farm and left last week
for Winnipeg where she will make
her home in future.

We are pleased to report that Ma-
mie Lebow, who recently underwent
an operation at Calgary, is now well
on her way to good health once more
and is expected home soon.

The annual general meeting of the
Vulcan and district school fair will be
held at the primary school on Satur-
day, November 18th. All those who
are interested are requested to attend.

W. H. McCutcheon received a tele-
gram last Thursday informing him of
the death of his father, W. A. Mc-
Cutcheon, at Cooper Falls, Ont., on
November 1st, aged 85 years.—Nan-
ton News.

Divine service at the Union Church
next Sunday morning and evening,
11:00 a.m., first in a series of talks on
"The Life of Joseph"; 7:30 p.m.,
"The Kingdom that will endure."
Everybody welcome.

The W. A. of All Saints church will
hold a bazaar, on December 16th, in
aid of the church building fund.
Special home cooking and useful
needlework for sale. Tea will be
served.

Miss S. Olson, who has been on the
staff of the Bank of Hamilton for
several months left on Monday even-
ing for Brant, where she will visit for
a short time prior to leaving for Spo-
kane.


The Redlandview Women's Institute
will hold a sale of home made cooking
on Saturday, November 18, in the
Simington & Co. store, Vulcan. Pro-
ceeds will be devoted to relief work in
the Medicine Hat district, where con-
ditions are reported to be extremely
bad.

Dates for the membership enrol-
ment and finance campaign of the
Alberta division, Canadian Red Cross,
have been extended throughout the
province to admit of the canvass being
made in those districts where it was
impossible to arrange for the cam-
paign during the official membership
week. Districts which have not yet
been able to organize their enrolment,
will be allowed until December 15th
to complete the drive.

The Claresholm School of Agricul-
ture has opened its doors for the
ninth term with an attendance of 70
students. The public in general, and
ex-students in particular, will be glad
to know that the opening dance will
be held on Friday, November 24th,
dancing commencing at 9 p.m. The
Claresholm orchestra will furnish the
music, and a good time should be en-
joyed by all. Everyone residing in
the district represented by the school
is cordially invited to attend.

The Canadian Forestry Associa-
tion's School Essay competition, which
was to close on November 15th, has
been extended until December first, in
order to allow the school children of
Alberta plenty of time to prepare
their essays for the prizes. Three
money prizes are awarded to each
province for the most intelligent es-
says received, and judgment will be
on the basis not of the quantity of in-
formation a child may take from text
books, but according to the diligence
and earnestness of the juvenile con-
ceptions. Vulcan, we think, should be
represented in this competition.

ESTABLISHED 1872



AS the different issues of Dominion of Canada Victory Loan Bonds mature, remember that this money should be retained as a permanent investment. We would suggest that you deposit the proceeds in your savings account in the Bank of Hamilton until reinvested in another issue of Government Bonds or similar assured securities.

BANK OF HAMILTON
VULCAN BRANCH
L. A. WRIGHT, Manager

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VULCAN, ALBERTA

HAVE YOU PAID YOUR TAXES

The civic authorities have done all that is possibly consistent with safe municipal financing to keep the tax rate down to the lowest point. It is now the duty of taxpayers to realize that it can only be prevented from being raised in future if taxes are paid promptly. Pay now and help the authorities in their work. Our schools, hospital and other local institutions are almost as great a necessity in the life of the individual and the community as food and clothing.

BROADENING OUT

"The interest taken in the British elections is so great that Canadian newspapers pay cable tolls on column after column of campaign news and political addresses," says the Kincardine Review. Some years ago a general election in Britain would pass over without attracting much notice here. The war had something to do with the change. Thousands of the Canadians are interested now because they were in the Old Country during the war. Moreover, the Canadian newspapers are joined together in an association through which they pool the cost of cable despatches and thus are able to carry foreign news at comparatively little cost. Events of the last eight years have made world news of interest and importance to Canadians.

FREE LENDING LIBRARY

The Women's Extension Service of the Department of Agriculture maintain a free lending library and clipping bureau, covering a wide range of subjects, for the use of the citizens of Alberta. To the rural population, especially, this is of much practical value. Requests to the Department for material range from how to make hats, pickles, rag rugs and iceless refrigerators, to debates on "Which makes the best husband—an industrious crank or a good-natured slouch?" The study of labor-saving devices for the home, nutrition, child welfare, home-nursing, all the varied branches of home economics, biographies, etc. has, of late, occupied a prominent portion of the year's program for the rural women's organizations. For the preparation of these study periods, or addresses, the Women's Extension Service is largely drawn upon, to supply the necessary material. The clippings or books are loaned for a period of two weeks.

TRIUMPH FOR PHONE SYSTEM

Edmonton people are now able to talk to those in Salt Lake City Utah, 1100 miles away, as a result of satisfactory phone connection established the past week between the Alberta Government phone system and the Mountain States telephone system, which serves some of the Western States. It is now possible to talk long distance on a thousand-mile circuit from Alberta. The new connection was made at Coult's a few days ago, and a conversation held between Edmonton and Helena, the capitol of Montana.

SHIPPING REGULATIONS

In connection with the removal of the embargo on Canadian cattle it must be said that the news created much interest among those interested in stock. The new regulations for cattle not capable of breeding, are subject to three days' quarantine before shipment, daily inspection on voyage, and must be accompanied by certificate of health before leaving point of shipment. The three-day quarantine period may be observed either at initial point of shipment, in rail transit or at point of ocean embarkation, at option of shipper. Cattle capable of breeding subject to above regulations, but in addition must be tested for tuberculosis within one month of shipment.

CARS AND BINDERS

The Wall Street Journal says that based on current production, Ford profits are estimated at approximately \$100 a car after payment of taxes. The \$50 reduction means a loss in revenue to the Ford Company of approximately \$62,500,000 annually on the present production.

A Ford car costs more than double the price of a binder and lasts half as long. The cost of repairs is far greater. The car is entering into the list of necessities on a farm. A part of the agitation against the high price of binders should be diverted against the high price of cars.

FROM NATURAL CAUSES

The annual meeting of the Canadian Bankers' Association was held recently and Sir Frederick Williams-Taylor, general manager of the Bank of Montreal, was again elected president. In his presidential address, Sir Frederick touched upon the return of the Canadian dollar to par value with the dollar of the United States. He pointed out that this was entirely the outcome of natural causes and that it had been effected largely through the influx of special monies in regular instalments, which might presently cease; and by means of substantial borrowings in the United States.

SERVED HIM RIGHT

A man down in Toronto, Ont., did not take kindly to the idea of a school principal sending his son home because he had dirty hands, and in the words which followed the man gave the school teacher a black eye. The court did not take a very lenient view of the matter, and gave the man ten days in jail to think the thing over. The court decided that a teacher in performing his duties must be backed by the full force of the law.

WHAT REAL RELIGION IS

Sir Arthur Currie, Principal of McGill University and formally Commander of the Canadian Army, gave the following definition of Real Religion at the opening of the Molson Memorial Chapel, at the Shawbridge Boys' Home:—

"I am no preacher, but I am always willing to bear testimony to the Power outside ourselves that makes for righteousness, that no man or nation can be truly great unless they acknowledge that Power. Oftentimes it was said in the war that Christianity had failed. Nothing was further from the truth. Christianity did not fail in the war—the war proved the very triumph of Christianity.

"I don't want you to get the idea that religion is something that you practice on Sundays. It is service; it is sacrifice; it is unselfishness; it is humility; it is justice; it is courage; it is fidelity to duty, and bearing another's burdens. That is the religion that was taught us nineteen centuries ago. In the war it was divested of all the trappings which in the days before the war seemed to obscure it. That was the religion that the boys over there practised every day."

OPENING OF HOUSE POSTPONED

The opening of the Legislature, which was billed to take place on December 7, will not now be held until January 23, owing to the fact that Premier Greenfield will be engaged in the conference on natural resources at Ottawa for the last two weeks in November, and that the government is not quite ready with its program for the session. The Premier is anxious to go into the session fully prepared to proceed with legislation. The date of January 23 is ten days earlier than the date of opening last spring.

AN IGNORANT BUNCH

A regular reader sends this one, the origin unknown: The prosecuting attorney had encountered a somewhat difficult witness. Finally he asked the man if he was acquainted with any of the men on the jury. "Yes, sir," announced the witness, "more than half of them." "Are you willing to swear that you know more than half of them?" demanded the lawyer. "Why, if it comes to that, I'm willing to swear that I know more than all of them put together," came the emphatic reply.

The government will issue no more licenses to liquor exporting houses in this province, Hon. A. M. Manson said. At present there are about 23 licensed exporting houses in British Columbia.

SAVINGS CERTIFICATES

Business is moving briskly again in the line of Alberta provincial savings certificates, and after two months when the withdrawal sum amounted to more than the purchases, the monthly balances are once more swinging on the safe side. For September the sale of certificates totalled \$283,468, an excess of \$72,841 over withdrawals. During July and August there were monthly deficits, owing to the usual heavy withdrawals in these months for bond buying and other investment purposes.

The total purchases of savings certificates for the nine months of this year ending with September were \$2,918,035 and during the same period the withdrawals were \$2,397,023.

So satisfactory has been its experience with the selling of saving certificates that the provincial treasury is apparently not entertaining any idea of changing its system for the provincials savings bank system in vogue in Manitoba.

We are getting all the money we require from this source," says Deputy Treasurer W. V. Newson, "with much less machinery and overhead expenses. Every day's mail brings orders from small and large buyers ranging from sums of \$25 to \$1,000 or more. The scheme is working out well and is proving immensely popular with the small investors, most of the purchasers being Alberta people."

INDISPENSABLE FOR HOME-MAKERS

It is not simply because it gives all the news and farming information that The Family Herald and Weekly Star of Montreal is so highly valued throughout the Dominion. The housewives and home-makers are more carefully and thoughtfully considered in it than in any other similar publication, young people and children have pages specially provided for them, and there is provision made for all tastes and circumstances. Music, photography, natural history, biography, literature, travel, mineralogy, wireless (radio telegraphy, astronomy, philately, pedagogy, all find place in it. Many a young person has had the first impulse towards a life's success come from some or other of these departments, which chance to strike light in his mind and changed a whole course of life. You can never tell of what chance in life those are depriving their young people who have not yet become subscribers to The Family Herald and Weekly Star of Montreal. The subscription price is only \$2.00 per year. It is the great investment of the times.

SEIZURE ON SEED GRAIN LIEN

Some time ago G. F. Podall, secretary-treasurer of the Municipal District of McLean, seized the wheat on the farm of J. W. Russell for seed grain indebtedness. Russell threatened to arrest the municipal council for stealing wheat. However, his plans have failed for 138 bushels and 10 pounds of wheat are being sold at the United Grain Growers' elevator Saturday, November 11. The indebtedness is for seed grain supplied by the municipality for the spring of 1920, given under properly filed liens.

U.F.A. Paper: The Manitoba Free Press protests on principle against the guidance of an elected representative by the people who elected him and to whom he is responsible. The Free Press prefers the party system, under which the elected member is controlled from the top by the party machine, the party machine in turn being controlled by the financial-industrial interests which supply the party funds. In the U.F.A. the function of the elected member is advisory leadership. The people supply the funds and he is responsible to them.

To The Public

You have no doubt heard of the Big Subscription Campaign recently started by The Grain Growers' Guide in the interest of their subscribers, who, as boosters of the paper, enter this campaign and secure subscriptions in order to win one of the many beautiful prizes offered.

I have entered this campaign and in doing so I appreciate the fact that The Grain Growers' Guide is the farmers' own paper. This paper, as you know, is owned by the farmers of Western Canada and is published in their interest. At the present time they have a tremendous circulation, but here is plenty of room for a large increase, in fact every farmer should be a subscriber and booster.

In addressing you as I do it is my desire to solicit your subscription in this way. I have been working real hard in my personal solicitation work and am taking this means of soliciting your subscription and help. If you can favor me with your subscription or renewal of your present subscription it will be a considerable help to me and I need all the assistance I can secure to make my chances of winning the Oldsmobile Touring Car, offered as 1st prize, secure. If it is impossible for you to favor me with your own subscription or renewal, would it be asking too much of you to secure one subscription or more for me in your district.

If I am to be favored with your help, I would suggest that you send your subscription to me or direct to The Grain Growers' Guide, Winnipeg, Man. asking them to give me credit for same.

If present subscribers will look up the back numbers of their Guide and watch the next few issues, they will find coupons which, when properly filled out, are each good for 100 free credits. If they will cut these coupons out and send them to me as soon as possible it will be much appreciated.

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Will be at Imperial Hotel, Vulcan, Thursday, November, 23rd for the Examination of Eyes and Fitting of Glasses.

GRADING OF HOGS

Grading of hogs according to Dominion government standard is now in effect at the stock yards and packing houses of Alberta as well as elsewhere. The new grades as set at Ottawia are as follows:

Grade 1, select bacon from 160 to 210 pounds, premium of ten per cent.
Grade 2, thick smooth, 160 to 210 pounds basic price.
Grade 3, shop hog, 120 to 160 lbs.
Grade 4, heavies, 210 to 260 lbs.
Grade 5, extra heavies, over 260 lbs.
Grade 6, light and feeders, 170 lbs. and down, unfinished.
Grade 7, rough any weight.
Grade 8, A, sows, smooth up to 350 pounds; B, all other sows.
Grade 9, stags.

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W. MAYS, N.G.
G. PETTMAN, R.S.

VULCAN ENCAMPMENT—No. 14, I.O.O.F. Regular meeting 2nd and 4th Mondays at I.O.O.F. Hall. Visiting brethren welcome.
D. L. DOANE, Chief C.P.
J. DEWIE, R.S.

ROSE OF DERRY, L.O.L. No. 2794. Regular meeting on the first Thursday of every month, at Odd Fellows' Hall, Vulcan. Visiting Brothers welcome.
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Equipment and Service provided for your comfort and satisfaction in the Dining Room. What you want when you want it. Ice Cream, Sundae, and Sodas.

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Don't wait until the summertime is past and winter and cold weather is upon you again before looking into those little necessities of your heating plants which will put them in order for their winter's work. The time is now for all such preparations. We do all kinds of repairing on hot-air, steam and hot-water heaters, as well as all kinds of Plumbing, and do it satisfactorily.

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WANTED Poultry and Produce

After Monday, November 6th, the Undersigned will Pay the Highest Price in Cash for Chickens, Turkeys, Geese, and other Poultry, Eggs and Farm Produce, delivered to the Wholesale Grocery in Vulcan.

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CROCKERY

We have just added a well assorted line of CROCKERY to our stock.

To celebrate this occasion, we are putting on a Special Introductory Offer of 15 Dozen "Leader" Tea Cups and Saucers of good china, in Rose and Band pattern with three colors to choose from, Pink, Blue and Cream, Specially priced at \$2.25 per half dozen Cups and Saucers.

This is Your Chance to replace Your Shortages at Bargain Prices.

The following in Sets or by the Single Piece:
Rheims Pattern Dinner Ware
White and Gold
Clover Leaf
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All the above are Open Stock.

We also have a very fine line of Hand Painted China, suitable for gifts any time of the year. Make your selection for Christmas now while the Stock is complete. This is very reasonably priced.

VULCAN SUPPLY COMPANY

Crockery, Hardware, Harness and Implements

PROVINCIAL NEWS

There is no change in the hide market, it being a drug on the market.

The Alberta Legislature will not meet on December 7 but will do so on or about January 28.

The Maclean oil well is down to a depth of 2,415 feet and prospects are good for a flow of oil.

Alberta coal is now displacing anthracite coal in Manitoba and the users find it very satisfactory.

Reports from hunters in the foothills west of here would indicate that deer are very scarce on account of lack of snow.

Thomas Merriam, the High River cattle man shipped eight cars of very fine steers from Claresholm to Toronto last Thursday.

Russians who left Canada and the U.S. for their former home, deeply regret doing so for they find conditions not as they anticipated.

S. M. Mace of Pekisko was elected a director of the Alberta Hereford Breeders Association at the recent annual meeting held in Calgary.

Fur dealers report business very quiet, the very mild and salubrious weather being responsible for hunters are not going out in quest of game.

An immediate start will be made on the construction of the provincial university buildings in Point Grey, near Vancouver by the B.C. government.

Hogs are selling at fairly good prices these days. From Ponoka the other day a shipment of 740 hogs was made which brought the sum of \$10, 100, farmers getting \$8.20 per cwt.

The first outlay will be the sum of \$1,000,000. B.C. has the money and can go ahead with much needed improvements which is more than can be said of other western provinces.

Five sets of triplets and two sets of twins born to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Scott in ten years of married life established a record for the Middle West perhaps for the whole country. They travelled west from LaPorte, Ind., on one adult ticket, searching for a new home.

California, the leading wine grape growing state in the union, and which once had hopes of competing with the wines of Germany has gone "dry" champagne of France and the Rhine blution measures. A majority of 29, after ten years of voting down prohibition was recorded.

The widow of the late, Constable Lawson who was killed recently at Coleman was the recipient of savings certificates for the sum of \$1,100 subscribed by officers and men of the A.P.P. force. An anonymous contribution came also from an unknown donor at Calgary for \$500, which is very practical sympathy of the widow of a man who died in the performance of his duty.

With the druggists disposing of no liquor and the export liquor warehouses out of business soon, the enforcing of the liquor act will be much easier says the Morning Albertan.

Long Wing, a Chinaman of Foremost, is being tried for bribery. He is accused of offering to bribe an A.P.P. officer to prevent his being prosecuted under the Alberta Liquor Act.

A Wyndham returned from a visit to his brother Ernest at the ranch at Dinton last Saturday. The latter had the misfortune to lose his stable with harness, feed and other contents by fire last week. It is not known how the fire started.—Okotoks Review.

Forty-two thousand new auto license plates for the Province have been ordered for 1923. These will be made with white figures on a blue background. Nearly 40,000 auto licenses were issued during the present year.

MUNICIPAL ASSEMBLY

Hon. George Hoadley, minister of agriculture who returned at the end of the week from the convention of Municipal Districts at Calgary, reiterated the statement made to the convention that there would be no legislation for seed grain relief during the coming session. "I emphasized to the convention, when questioned as to the policy of the government in this matter, that the government was merely the administrator for the state, and that it was the state's money, the people's money, that had been spent on seed grain relief, and that the government had decided against passing the credits of the people further in this matter. The Dominion government has reserved a million bushels of seed oats, and fifty thousand bushels of seed barley, but those who want this seed must be ready to purchase it themselves."

Mr. Hoadley also told the convention that the domestic animals act would be re-drafted and put in such shape that all the classes applying to municipalities would be put together in one portion of the act. He also explained that permission to hold round-ups in unorganized territories must be secured from the minister of agriculture under conditions of the act, but that in organized municipalities, the councils had the right to conduct round-ups without any reference to the minister.

Hon. Alex. Ross, minister of public works, also a visitor to the convention, spoke in reference to the re-organization of the highways branch, saying that he believed now that the road work in the province was being organized on such a basis that the appointment of an independent highways commission would not be necessary. He repeated his opposition to the establishment of such a commission. The report of the executive committee of the convention on its dealings with Mr. Ross on the matter, was adopted by the convention as being satisfactory.

RECORD FOR STEERS

Our sale Wednesday of 40 head of grass, horned and dehorned, rangiers at \$10.25 was the highest sale of range cattle that has been made on the Chicago market in the last two years. These cattle were shipped by the well-known cattlemen, A. E. Cross, of Calgary, and were shipped from his ranch southwest of High River, Alta. The sale was the talk of the Chicago stock yards.

We have had a flood of range cattle this week, as well as a tremendous run of short-fed native cattle. There were 15,000 rangiers on the market Monday, and we also had a liberal supply on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday. The market on best rangiers broke 25c, while all other grades were 50c to 75c per cwt. lower. All below the prime grades of native cattle broke from \$1 to \$1.50 per cwt., and this naturally affected the sale of range cattle. Cows were 40c to 50c lower.

We are looking for lighter receipts next week, and a better market on all grades of cattle.

AEROPLANE BURNS IN AIR

Neilson Brothers, who operate an aeroplane for commercial purposes had a narrow escape from death at Edgerton, Alta, recently while returning to Edmonton from Rosetown, Sask. The plane developed engine trouble when about 2,500 feet in the air and the pilot decided to make an immediate landing. At 300 feet, fire commenced to shoot from the engine into the cockpit and within three minutes after the landing was made the wings fell off and the engine dropped through into the mass of burning debris.

NEWS FROM BRANT

Services were held in the Catholic church Sunday morning.

Mr. Joe Heckle spent Sunday with his wife who is staying with Mrs. John Eversman, during Mr. Eversman's absence.

Mrs. Dad Fletcher returned home Wednesday morning after an absence of several weeks which she spent in the Calgary hospital.

Count George and Mr. Ferguson of Calgary motored to Brant Tuesday to attend the dance that night and also to visit their friend Mr. Ove Hinding. They left Brant Wednesday for Lethbridge.

A bunch of the school kiddies went out to a lake south-west of town Sunday to try their skates and practise up a bit so they will be ready for skating when the Brant rink opens up for the winter.

Mr. Ira Olsen moved his family back to Brant for the winter after having spent the summer on their farm west of town.

Miss Sibine Olsen came up Thursday from Vulcan to attend the dance held in the Brant hotel that night. The old gentleman is trying to be clever.

Bless him we call him an epigramma.

Mr. Ben Holden motored to Calgary Saturday evening to spend Sunday with his wife and daughters.

Mr. Percy Damgherty returned Tuesday night from Calgary.

Mr. and Mrs. Phil Bourke returned last week from their holidays. Mr. Bourke is again at his post of duty as station agent.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Donnelly also Mr. and Mrs. Doug. Holmes were dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. McKay, Sunday.

Ignorance is the mother of superstition.

The Brant boys gave the first social dance of the season Tuesday, November 7. A large crowd was in attendance and everybody pronounced having had a good time, which in many respects was due to the splendid music furnished by the Anderson Bros. of Champion.

Once a gentleman always a gentleman.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Platt and children moved to Calgary last week where the children will attend school this winter.

Reputation is sometimes more valuable than character.

RELIEVED OF LIQUOR

Druggists in the four cities of Edmonton, Calgary, Lethbridge and Medicine Hat, are to be relieved shortly of the responsibility of the sale of alcoholic stimulants, according to an announcement by Attorney-General Brownlee. The sale of liquor in these cities will henceforth be conducted solely by government vendors. This will necessitate the appointment of vendors in Lethbridge and Medicine Hat. In towns and outlying points druggists will continue to dispense liquor on prescriptions, but the quantities will be reduced to six ounces in bottles sealed and supplied by the government.

TO CHICAGO SHOW

W. J. Stephen, crops commissioner of the provincial government, will leave shortly for Chicago, for the purpose of looking into the possibilities of marketing the pure seed grain now being received for re-cleaning, at the government cleaning plant in the east end of the city. Mr. Stephen will also attend the seed grain show at Chicago, and will release the Alberta exhibits from the customs and place them in proper order for exhibition. He will also see that these samples are returned to the exhibitors where such request is made.

NOTICE

Vulcan District Poultry and Pet Stock Association Meeting

The Annual General meeting will be held at the store of Lindsay Hardware Co., on Saturday, 25th November, at 2:30 p. m. Election of officers—Arrangement for Poultry Show.

Your attendance is required.

D. L. DOANE,
President.

J. A. LINDSAY,
Secretary.

NOTICE

Owing to the expense and poor collections, the Municipal District of Marquis, No. 157, has decided to move their office to the farm of R. E. House, Secretary-Treasurer. The Council feels that the business of the district is now a matter of collections instead of disbursement, and all expenses will have to be cut as far as possible.

MUNICIPAL DISTRICT OF MARQUIS

R. E. House,
Secretary-Treasurer.

AUCTION SALE

As I am going to the States, and my lease having expired, the undermentioned will be sold by Public Auction, at the N. E. Qr. Section 4-18-22, being 10 miles S. W. of Milo P. O. and Store, 20 miles N. E. of Vulcan, and

7 Miles North and 3 East of Reid Hill Post Office

ON
Thursday, November 23

Horses and Cattle

1 Team Grey Geldings, 5 years, 2600 lbs.; 1 Bay Gelding, 6 years, 1250 lbs.; 1 Black Gelding, 7 years, 1300 lbs.; 1 Buckskin Gelding, 7 years, 1150 lbs.; 1 Buckskin Mare, 11 years, 1050 lbs.; 1 Sorrel Gelding, 8 years, gentle; 1 Jersey Cow, been fresh 2 months; 1 Jersey Cow, 5 years, be fresh in December; 1 Black Cow, 8 years, extra good milker, milking now; 1 Heifer, be fresh in May.

4 Quarters Beef, 40 Chickens, 2 Turkeys, 10 Bushels Potatoes, some Carrots and Onions, 2000 Oat Bundles.

Machinery

1 Van Brunt Single Disc Drill, 20 runs, in good condition, practically new; 1 John Deere Binder, 8 foot; 1 Harrow; 18-foot Double Disc, in and out; 1 Bissell Packer, 10-foot; 1 John Deere Gang Plow, breaker bottom, 12 inch; 1 LaCrosse Disc Engine Gang Plow, 4-bottom; 1 3-4 McCormick Wagon, with 150 bushel Grain Tank; 1 Bundle Rack; 1 9-Horse Evers, 3-3-3; 1 Set Breeching Harness; 2 Sets Plow Harness; 1 Set Driving Harness, 8 Collars, Chains, Tools, Forks, Shovels, Doubletrees, etc.

Furniture

Home Comfort Steel Range, Heater, Dining Table and 8 Chairs, Rocker, Sideboard, Child's Table and 2 Chairs to match, 2 Child's Rockers, 1 Folding Baby Buggy, 2 Beds and Springs, 1 American Cream Separator new, 5-Gallon Churn, Copper Boiler, and the usual amount of Cooking Utensils, Dishes, Pots, Pans and small articles.

Terms Cash

Sale Commences at 11 a. m. Lunch at Noon.

EARL GRICE, Owner.

C. B. SHIMP, Sale Clerk. C. C. REBBE, Auctioneer.

AUCTION SALE

Favored with instructions from Carl Jacobson, Administrator of the Ole Jacobson Estate, the undersigned will sell the following by Public Auction, at N. W. Qr. Section 16-17-24, W. 4.

Two and One Half Miles North of Vulcan

ON
Monday, November 27th

Horses and Cattle

1 Team Geldings, 5 and 9 years, 2960 lbs.; 1 Team, Mare and Gelding, 6 and 7 years, 3000 lbs.; 1 Team, Mare and Gelding, 10 and 8 years, 3000 lbs.; 1 Team Mares, 3 and 5 years; 1 Black Mare, 10 years, 1350 lbs.; 2 Colts, coming 2 years, Mare and Gelding; 1 Milch Cow, calf at foot, milking now, heavy flow of milk; 1 Milch Cow, expected fresh by day of sale; 1 Heifer, 3 years old, not in calf; 1 large Sow, good shape, about 235 lbs.; 100 mixed Chickens, good laying strain;

Machinery

2 McCormick Binders, 8 foot; 1 John Deere Gang Plow, 14 inch; 1 Van Brunt Single Disc Drill, 20 runs; 1 3-1-2 inch Adams Wagon, with 115 bushel Box; 1 3-1-2 Steel Skein Wagon, with Triple Box; 1 3-1-2 Columbia Wagon, running gear only; 1 Hay Rack, good condition; 1 Nelson Grain Pickler; 1 McCormick Mower, nearly new; 1 Magnet Cream Separator, good condition; 1 Barrel Churn; 1 Set Breeching Harness, 4 Sets Plow Harness, 10 Nose Bags, 10 Collars, Doubletrees, Neckyokes, Forks, Shovels, Vice, Tools, Log Chains, etc.

400 bushels good Oats, 1200 Oat Sheaves, 6 sacks Bran.

House Furniture

3 Dressers, 4 Beds with Springs and Mattresses, Table, 5 Chairs, Doherty Organ, Heating Stove, Bedding, Quilts, Blankets, Pillows, Lamps, Cooking Utensils, Dishes, Boiler, Ringer, Tubs, Washing Machine, set Books, odd Books, and numerous small articles.

Terms Cash

Sale commences at 11 o'clock. Lunch at noon.

C. B. SHIMP, Sale Clerk. C. C. REBBE, Auctioneer.

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November 25

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A Wonderful
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Every Piece
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Each \$1.49

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Tickets good in STANDARD or TOURIST SLEEPERS on payment of regular berth fares.

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So important is the question of food that it calls for your most serious consideration. In the matter of Meats and Breakfast Bacon you can purchase here with the utmost confidence, and be sure you are getting the best the market offers. This is in fact equally sure with other lines embraced in the word provisions. A visit from you will be appreciated. Cheerfulness and Service is the community spirit.

G. R. MARCELLUS, Manager.

RED CROSS NEWS

Several Red Cross feet shovers attended the Armistice dance in Vulcan on November 10th, and they report having a very fine time.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Love and children motored to Calgary to spend the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. John Love left on the 11th for Calgary, where Mrs. Love will go under an operation. She will be under the care of Dr. Bouck.

Our school used to have a gas lamp, but woe has come to the lamp, for it has disappeared. Some person must be in the dark and wants a light.

Several of the school children who won prizes in the Vulcan school fair have received their money, and are very happy over it. One of the girls has boasted of getting over five dollars in cash in the athletic events.

Mr. Alvin Fulton returned home last Sunday, November 5, after spending several days in Calgary.

Misses Leah and Loraine Woodman returned home last week after spending the week-end in Calgary.

Rev. Mr. Brunton held a decision day at Red Cross Sunday school on November 12th. Quite a number joined the church, and we were glad to see the young folk join, thereby demonstrating their desire and determination to live on the side of right, and we hope that more will follow their example.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Ernest were up visiting friends in the district over the holiday.

Mr. John Nafziger, of Manitoba, spent some time recently with his brother Sam.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Lane and family leave for Spring Coulee on November 16. Their many friends join in wishing them every success in their new home. They will surely be missed, Mrs. Lane having been an ardent worker in the Women's Institute and Sunday school.

A Halloween party was held at the Mayview school, in honor of the teacher, Mr. McDonald. A large number were present and everybody thoroughly enjoyed themselves. There were amusements and games of all sorts, after which lunch was served, and the pupils presented the teacher with a book, a token of their appreciation of service splendidly rendered.

We regret to report that Mrs. Harry Johnston and Mrs. Jos. Richardson are on the sick list.

Mrs. Arnott, an old timer of Lomond district, is visiting at the home of Mr. Charles Steiner.

Mr. D. L. Doane was a Calgary visitor a short time ago and purchased a fine Willis piano.

REID HILL NEWS

Reid Hill Card Club will hold their first whist drive, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Guy Walker, on Tuesday, November 21st, at 8 p.m. Lunch will be served. Admission 25c. Everybody welcome.

Report has it that a Reid Hill farmer has just had an experience that rivals that of the famous Mother Hubbard. He had secured a number of pigs, whose excellence and fine qualities he had explained to his wife and neighbors. He put them in a box and into a wagon and started for home, but before he got there the boxes were empty and he found that of pigs he had none. The mystery is the study of the loser and his friends.

KIRKCALDY NEWS

The Thanksgiving dinner given by the Kirkcaldy W.I. was a splendid success. The dinner was plentiful and certainly very good. A large crowd was in attendance. After all had eaten, a short program was put on and after that dancing was indulged in until a late hour. Much credit is due to the ladies on the committee for the success of this evening's entertainment, as well as to those gentlemen who so kindly gave their assistance.

A Halloween party and dance was held at Long Coulee on Friday night November 3. A good crowd came out and everybody had a good time.

We are glad to say that Dee Gossett, who has been seriously ill, with pneumonia for some time, is very much better. His many friends both little and big, will be glad to see him out and ready for school again soon.

Miss Rhinehart of Vulcan is spending a few days with her sister, Mrs. Böse.

FIRE PREVENTION

Prize Essays on Subject of Vital Importance

Following we print letters which carry their own explanation and information, together with the prize winning essay, to which reference is made elsewhere in this issue.

To The Editor, "Advocate"

Sir: It is with great pleasure that I enclose herewith the successful compositions of the competition on Fire Prevention in the Town of Vulcan by the scholars of our high and public schools. In asking you to publish these compositions I do so with the object in mind that their perusal by your readers may at least bring the matter of Fire Prevention before them more closely while at the same time it is to be hoped that a point here and there brought home may be a benefit to some persons or person. I also enclose to you the letter from Capt. Smart, Chief of the Calgary Fire Dept. who judged the papers and herein gives his awards. Believe me to be,

Yours, etc.

W. E. BUTCHART.

W. E. Butchart, Esq.

Mayor of Vulcan, Alta

Re Fire Prevention Essays

Dear Sir: When I informed you that I would be quite willing to act as Judge of the Fire Prevention Essay Competition, for the scholars of your high and public schools, I did not think the task would be so strenuous, but after spending the past week carefully reading them over several times I have come to the following decisions:

High School—1, Beulah Hampton; 2, Hazel Layman. Public School—1, Ena Watt; 2, Maude Shaw.

In deciding the aforementioned successful scholars I congratulate them as well as the unsuccessful pupils for the papers they have written on Fire Prevention and only hope that these competitions will be the means of assisting in reducing the enormous increasing fire waste in the Dominion of Canada.

I remain, Your truly,

JAMES SMART, Chief Fire Dept.

HIGH SCHOOL COMPETITION

1st Prize

HOW TO PREVENT FIRE

Friends, do we not want to save loss of lives, loss of towns and buildings and anything which is worth something and will cost much to replace. Well why not try to prevent fires? Every year there are thousands of dollars of property destroyed by fire. Does this not make expense higher and the population less. The only thing we can do to prevent this disastrous thing is for everyone to fight against it and try our hardest to prevent fires.

During the last decade there have been three thousand lives and two hundred and fifty millions dollars worth of property destroyed by fire. In 1921 the loss of property in fire reached the height of forty-five million dollars and the loss is yearly increasing despite the numerous people fighting this.

In addition to the numerous lives lost there are annually forest fires which destroy thousands of dollars worth of timber which is saleable, also it destroys young forests which are not matured and saleable but in a few years they would be worth thousands of dollars. The lumber manufacture is one of Canada's greatest industries but if all the forests are burned this industry cannot be carried on.

Today the people of Canada are paying very high Fire Insurance because Canada's industries and wealth are burning up and there has to be some provision made so there will be something to replace some of this with. We can some day stop this Fire Insurance if we get to work immediately to prevent fires. There are a number of ways of preventing fire if they are only brought to mind, a few of these ways are as follows:

1. Have all flues and chimneys properly cleaned before attempting to use them, because if they are choked with soot it will become very hot and gradually burn out the pipe then the chimney.

2. Look very carefully at the chimney or flue, at the joint above the peak of the roof where the chimney goes through, as the lower part may have

settled and the upper portion being held up by the timbers, may have pulled away, leaving an open space or break in the chimney that will permit sparks slipping through into the attic or concealed space.

3. Be sure that all flue holes that are not to be used this year have good metal stops, as innumerable fires are caused by sparks through papering over unused pipe holes in the chimneys.

4. Clean the ventilating collars around all flues, removing all lint, cobwebs and dust leaving nothing in the ventilator, in this way permitting the air to cool the pipe where it goes through.

5. Be careful that the supply of kindling wood is not piled up in the yard in such a manner as to carry fire to your house, in case your neighbor's house should burn.

6. It is better to keep all light wood, kindlings and boxes in sheds, stables or basements in orderly piles, and not to have papers or excelsior mixed with it.

7. Extra caution should be used in the handling of gasoline. In the winter months all windows and doors are closed, eliminating the possibility of the air blowing the inflammable vapours away.

8. Never use gasoline inside the house for cleaning and when compelled to use it for any other purpose do not forget you are handling a high explosive which may endanger your life and property.

9. Remove all dry grass and leaves from your property before someone carelessly throws a match away.

10. Do not dry clothes or anything inflammable near or above hot stoves.

11. Ashes should be kept in metal receptacles and never in paper or wooden boxes or barrels because it has been known for weeks after for a spark to fly from them and catch something on fire.

12. Oily rags should be kept in standard metal waste cans and contents removed and burned each night.

13. Rubbish should never be allowed to accumulate in or near buildings.

14. Gasoline or naphtha and other volatile oils, should not be kept in buildings and should be used only with extreme care.

15. Steam pipes should be kept clear of all wood and other combustible material.

16. Open flue holes should be protected with sheet iron, or better, be bricked up.

17. Electricity, when improperly installed, is hazardous; lamp cords should not be hung on nails or wrapped around piping; paper shades should never be used. Do not tamper with electrical installations.

18. Stove pipes should be securely riveted and run direct to brick chimneys and never through floors or partitions; protect floors under and above stoves with brick, cement or sheet metal.

19. Stairways should be kept closed and clear at all times; never place any stock or shavings thereon.

20. Aisles of good width should be maintained; never pile stock in front of windows or against doors, as it handicaps the firemen in case of fire.

21. Fire doors and shutters should be closed every night and stock should never be placed so as to hinder the ready closing of fire doors. Use metal frames and sash with metal wire glass.

22. Damp lampblack will ignite. So will slack and pulverized coal, also charcoal when wet.

23. See that all fire extinguishing apparatus is in good working order.

24. Use safety matches, they cost no more.

25. Requiring all doors to swing outward in public buildings, schools, theatres, etc., may prevent the loss of many lives.

26. All buildings over two stories in height should be provided with fire escapes and standpipes for Fire Department use.

27. Don't allow children to play with matches as this often leads to their death.

28. Don't leave everything to the landlord, inspect your own house from cellar to garret.

29. Don't throw away lighted matches, cigars or cigarettes.

30. Don't go into dark closets, bedrooms, or cellars using matches or candles to light your way.

31. Don't use coal oil, benzine or naphtha in lighting fire or to quicken a slow fire as it may result in death.

32. Don't use gasoline or benzine to clean clothing near an open flame light or fire.

33. Don't use alcohol lamps, especially if made of glass, as they often break and the fluid is ignited at once.

34. Don't fill any lamp with gasoline or coal oil while the lamp is lighted. Keep the burners of all oil lamps clean.

35. Don't fill oil lamps after dark or within fifteen feet of lights or fire.

36. Don't put ashes in wooden boxes or barrels. Keep ashes away from boards.

37. Don't use oil with a low flash point.

38. Don't accumulate rubbish on premises or in cellars or workshops. Keep such material in covered, metal lined receptacles.

39. All dwellings and their surroundings should be inspected by their occupants and all conditions likely to cause or promote the spread of fire removed.

40. All public buildings, stores, warehouses and factories be inspected and cleaned of rubbish in order to reduce fire hazards and maintain health and safety.

41. All hospitals, hotels, asylums, theatres and other institutional buildings be inspected and provision made for all changes necessary to protect the occupants from danger in the event of fire.

42. Fire drills should be held for the children in all schools, for the inmates of all institutions and for the employees in all large stores and factories in order that a greater degree of safety may be ensured by acquainting the occupants with the best and most expeditious mode of exit in time of danger.

43. Special instruction on the subject of fire prevention be given to teachers and by municipal officials in the schools and that such appropriate literature as may be available be distributed to the pupils.

44. Boy scout leaders give instructions to the troops under their control as to the best means of co-operating with municipal fire departments in the prevention and extinguishing of fire especially to the desirability of qualifying for the fire man's badge.

45. Operators of lumber camps, settlers, campers, hunters and others who may from time to time enter our national parks and forest area acquaint themselves with all laws, regulations and precautionary rules devised and established for the safe guarding of woods against forest fires.

46. All legislation and regulations enacted or issued by Dominion, provincial or municipal authorities dealing with fire prevention be given publicity by the municipal officials and that by public meeting or otherwise as may to them seem most fit they endeavour to impress upon the citizens the national importance of safeguarding life and property from loss by fire.

Could any member of your family answer these questions:

1. Do you use safety matches?
2. Are floors under stoves protected with tile, stone, brick, concrete or metal, so as to prevent them taking fire from the hearth?

3. Are walls, ceiling and partitions similarly protected from places where they would be exposed to high temperature in the event of overheating of stoves or furnaces?

4. Are ashes deposited in metal receptacles and removed from the building weekly?

5. Is there any unclosed space under the house where inflammable trash may accumulate?

6. Are chimneys built on ground or

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